[Mr. S. Krishna Pillai.]

(*a*) the number of applications received in 1106 and 1107 by the Quilon Tahsildar for agricultural loans and the total amount applied for;

(*b*) the number of such applications that were granted and the total amount of loans granted;

(*c*) the amount disbursed till date (14-4-1107) to those applicants; and

(*d*) the amount that still remains to be disbursed?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): A statement* containing the required particulars is laid on the table.

Police interference in picketing cloth shops in Chalai.

136. **MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI** (*Quilon*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they allow Policemen in *mufti* to attend public meetings in connection with the picketing of foreign cloth shops at Chalai; and

(*b*) whether it is a fact that some Policemen in mufti tried to dissuade some of the volunteers from picketing the foreign cloth shops?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Policemen and a C. I. D. Head Constable were allowed to attend public meetings in connection with the picketing of foreign cloth, as in other meetings of a similar nature.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative.

Dating of applications and petitions presented in Revenue Courts.

137. **MR. K. P. ABRAHAM** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any rule requiring proceedings presented before the Revenue Courts to be dated by the parties presenting them or by the officers receiving them; and

(*b*) whether any rule is observed and insisted on by the Revenue Courts in the matter of granting copies of records to applicants to denote on the copies furnished the dates on which they were applied for and delivered?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) There is no specific rule for the Revenue Department except what is contained in rule 18 of the *Petition Rules* printed at page 48 of the *Land Revenue Manual Vol. II*. The Land Revenue Commissioner has stated that such proceedings are dated both by the parties presenting them and by the officers (or their Office Assistants) before whom they are presented.

(*b*) Yes. Government notification Dis. No. 756/21/Rev., dated the 26th July 1921.

MR. K. P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): In regard to part (*b*) may I know whether, when copies of several records are applied for in the same application, separate dates in regard to each of those copies would be furnished?

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MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): If different records are applied for by the same member, of course, dates should be given separately.

MR. K. P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): On what basis is the question, whether each one of the records forms a separate record or not, determined?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): It may be that a number of records form one record, as in Settlement cases for instance. In such cases, dates will not be given separately for each one of the documents forming the records.

MR. K. P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): Am I to understand that several papers pertaining to the same matter would be regarded as one document?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): Yes; if there are different documents relating to different subjects, separate dates and other information would be given.

Presence of members of the Legislative Council at the Investiture Durbar.

138. **MR. K. P. ABRAHAM** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): (1) Are the Government aware that members of the Travancore Legislative Council were present at the Public Durbar held on the 20th Tulam 1107 in the Durbar Hall, Trivandrum?

(2) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any special reason for omitting to mention about their presence in the *Gazette Extraordinary* issued on the 23rd Tulam 1107 regarding that Public Durbar?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (1) Yes.

(2) There was no special reason. The list of guests given in the *Gazette Extraordinary* is by no means exhaustive, and the omission to include the members of the Legislative Council, in the list, was not deliberate.

Presence of members of the Legislative Council at the Investiture Durbar.

139. **MR. E. V. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): With reference to the *Gazette Extraordinary* dated the 9th November 1931, will the Government be pleased to state why they omitted to mention in the said publication the presence of the members of the Legislative Council at the Durbar held on the 6th November 1931?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The attention of the member is invited to the answer to question No. 138 by Mr. K. P. Abraham.

Presence of members of the Legislative Council at the Investiture Durbar.

140. **MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI** (*Quilon*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

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